

Artificial Breeders' Ass'n Disbands

Due to financial reasons on account of insufficient coveys over a too widespread area, making little cost excessive, the only artificial livestock breeders' association in Alberta has decided to disband.

The association, known as the Old Livestock Breeders' Club, was organized in 1944 and has been serving the area of over 450 square miles surrounding Olds, Alberta, and shipments were made to Edmonton, Ponoka, Calgary, Lethbridge, Drumheller and intermediate points.

Directors of the Club were Hans Randers, Olds, chairman; Ray Armstrong, Olds; Charles Thomas Olds; Thomas Buchanan and F. Charlton, Bowden; Tom Morris and Walter Irwin, Didsbury; S. Frising and Ray Wood, Carstairs.

Costs of purchased Holsteins and Shorthorn sires and the cost of services exceeded money made during charges and the 381 livestock breeders will soon be without the services which the club has offered them for the last five years.

There has been no dissatisfaction with the offering artificially conceived, it was reported. As a matter of fact some exceptionally good cattle had been raised, and it is to be regretted that the directors have found it impossible to carry on.

Mrs. E. Leclaire's Father Passes

Roland Beale Marston, 54, died Thursday morning, August 25, at his home at Airdrie.

Mr. Marston was born at Flintshire, North Wales, and came to the Airdrie district more than 30 years ago. He served in the First Great War from 1914 to 1918 with the P.C.C.L. and in the second Great War from 1939 to 1945 with the R.C.A.S.C. He was a member of the Canadian Legion, the Mount Lebanon Masonic Lodge, Calgary, and was a vicar, residing at St. Clements church, Bazaar, for ten years.

He is survived by his wife, Emily; two daughters, Mrs. Eugene Leclaire, Didsbury, and Mrs. J. H. Duncan, Airdrie; two sons, Robert and Roland, Airdrie; three grandchildren; three brothers, Frank, Clifford and John, England; and two sisters, Mrs. A. C. Drukerly and Mrs. Gordon Grindley, England.

Rev. E.S. Bull and Rev. A.B. Lea officiated at services in the Cathedral Church, Airdrie, on August 28, at 2 p.m.

SUCH WAS LIFE

One of our early settlers (a bachelor) went on horseback to pick Saskatoon six or seven miles north. There are few trails leading to anywhere in particular and so direction was to nowhere. Having lost all sense of time and plenty of berries to pick, he lost himself among the brush and as usual started home in the wrong direction. He had a very full belly of berries and so could not go faster than a walk as jolting would not improve the berries.

After a few hours' ride he landed at the Dog Pound creek and by checking which way the water ran knew general directions. It was now almost dark and clouds were gathering. He rode long enough to be sure he was beyond his place. However, it was dark and to go on may be a mistake, so he decided to dream away the night as best he could. As he unsaddled the pony he thought he smelled some new-noun hay and the breeze indicated the direction from which it came. He was soon at the haystack and parked, digging himself into the stack and tying the pony at his feet.

The howling coyotes made it difficult to get a bit of sleep so at dawn he got up and explored the territory. A shack about half a mile distant encouraged him to find out where he was. He rode up to it and knocked at the door but no one answered. He opened the door very quietly so as not to arouse the occupant perchance there might be one.

He took a desperate effort to convince himself that he was in his own shack, so completely was he lost.

PIONEER CITIZEN

MR. N.A. DYCK'S GARDEN A PLEASING SIGHT

Mr. N.A. Dyck's garden east of the track is a beautiful sight. All the flowers are in full bloom and the crabapple trees are loaded with fruit. The blossoms of the other apple trees were damaged by frost early in the season so there will be no fruit on them.

Mr. Dyck is an expert gardener and is always pleased to have visitors call. His hobby is gardening and he can help those who call with excellent advice on gardening which he has learned in his many years of successful work.—Contributed.

Duane Gebers, 16, Killed in Tractor Accident Monday

Duane Gebers, 16-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gebers, who reside east of town, was killed on Monday, August 29, at about 1:15 p.m. when the tractor he was driving on the road about nine miles east of Didsbury on the south road turned over, plunging him beneath the machine and causing almost instant death.

Two Calgary Power Company employees, Ed Kjar and Jack Hooper, were the first on the scene of the accident. They were approaching the tractor in a car and when about 300 yards from it, saw it go off the road and turn over. Apparently it was pulled over after striking a soft shoulder near the edge of the road.

Kjar and Hooper were unable to move the tractor and it was not until a neighboring farmer brought another tractor into play that the machine was moved and the body extricated. It is believed death was almost instantaneous.

Coroner Dr. H.W. Epp of Didsbury investigated and decided that an inquest was unnecessary.

Funeral services will be held from Redeemer Lutheran Church, Didsbury, on Thursday, September 1st, at 2:30 p.m., with Rev. E. B. Fox officiating. Interment will follow in the Didsbury cemetery.

Little Items of Local Interest

Born to Mr. and Mrs. E.W. Walker on Wednesday, August 24, a girl.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCloy returned Sunday from a motor trip to the Pacific coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hoover returned Monday after spending the summer vacation in Eastern Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Wiggins and family arrived home last Tuesday from a motor trip to Ontario, returning by way of the western States. Miss Bertha Wiggins, who returned with them, left Sunday for her home in Winnipeg.

Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Venables of Hamilton, Manitoba, spent the week end with Mrs. Venables' brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Pross.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Snyder of Umiat, Ontario, visited their cousin, W.W. Snyder recently. This is their first trip west and they reported a wonderful trip, travelling through the States and B.C. On their way back they are going by way of Saskatchewan, Manitoba and northern Ontario. They have a very favorable opinion of the west.

The Misses Ann Klassen and Edith Hunsberger left Tuesday for Edmonton after their holiday trip to the Pacific coast.

Grain Quotas Set By Wheat Board

The Wheat Board has fixed the delivery quota on wheat and oats at 10 bushels per seeded acre except at points which will be declared open from time to time. There is an open delivery quota on barley at all delivery points.

It is the Board's intention to keep the position at all delivery points constantly under review and to increase or remove delivery quotas just as rapidly as space and car supply permit.

Westcott Scouts Hold Banquet

The first banquet of the First Westcott Scout Troop was held in the Westcott United Church Monday evening, August 22. There were 70 guests present, with Mr. Alex Robertson acting as chairman. Following the toast to the King Murray Owens proposed a toast to the parents which was replied to by Mr. Alex Blain.

Mr. Roy McNaughton explained the general aims and purposes of the movement and proposed the toast to the Scouts and Cubs, which was replied to by Don Robertson. Mrs. Swanby, co-leader of the Scoutmaster, and C. Cub Leader, which was replied to by Margaret Robertson.

Scoutmaster J. H. Robertson presented badges which had recently been earned. Tom Swanby gave a very interesting report on his experiences at the International Jamboree held recently at Ottawa. Ronald Faas staged a novelty number of a dancing puppet accompanied by the accord by Mr. Faas. Neil Folkman moved a vote of thanks to the mothers for the sumptuous meal. Community singing also added to the very excellent program.

NO BERRIES IN WEST COUNTRY

Mrs. Ed Bersech of Elkton district reports that due to early frost in the spring and drought during the summer there are no Saskatoons, blueberries or cranberries in the west country this year. This is a disappointment to the west farmers as well as the townspeople who have become accustomed to these delicacies in past years.

MONDAY, SEPT. 5, A HOLIDAY

Monday, September 5th, is Labor Day and a Dominion holiday. All places of business will be closed, so govern yourselves accordingly.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Ingram and daughter of Calgary, and Paul Brinson of Carstairs, were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Brinson.

Raymond Rapien, who is working in the oil fields at Devon, is home on a two weeks holiday and together with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Rapien, they spent three days at Banff, Lake Louise and Glacier, returning to Didsbury on Saturday.

FAREWELL PARTY AT MCCOYS FOR MISS DOROTHY BALL

About ten girls gathered at the home of Laura McCoy on Monday night when a farewell party was held for Dorothy Ball who, with her mother Mrs. Topley, left Tuesday to reside at Ponoka. The evening was spent in contests and games. After a sumptuous lunch Dorothy was presented with a lovely cup and saucer.

Ditch Digger Now Working on Main Street Sewers

Wilson & Wilson Construction Co. have been making good progress on the sewer mains for the town's water system and last week they completed the line from the sewer outlet north of the hospital to Payne Freemah Co. corner. On Monday the big ditching machine started work at the Edford Motors corner and as we go to press Tuesday the ditch has been dug and sewer pipe laid along Railway Avenue as far as the Royal Bank corner.

While laying the tile on the street to the hospital last week one young lad dropped a rock on the placed tile and broke it. This necessitated the removal of several lengths of tile to replace the broken section and as this is expensive and additional work, parents are urged to warn their boys to stay away from the ditch and refrain from dropping anything into the open trenches, which are being filled in as quickly as possible.

Contrary to opinions expressed that quick sand and layers of sand stone would be encountered on the main street, the going has been good and very little rock has so far been encountered. The dry weather this year has been a big help to the ditch digging and it is hoped that the ditching machine can continue to operate in favorable soil conditions.

MRS. ALAN MARSH ENTERTAINS BANCROFT BUTTERCUPS

The Bancroft Buttercups Girls' Club held its August meeting at the home of Mrs. Alan Marsh on Saturday, August 20. Only 11 members were present.

Roll call was answered by Juniors bringing one-half a yard of any plain or colored material for stencilling designs. The seniors brought scissors, pattern and material to make any garment to wear.

The next meeting will be held at the home of the Richardson girls on September 24. The objective for next month is to have stencilling and garments finished. Prizes will be given for the best made of each. The meeting closed and lunch was served.

W. A. Groups Fete Miss B. Dimmock

Complimenting Miss Barbara Dimmock, whose marriage to Mr. Ross Bowman was an event in the early part of the week, the Ladies of the Afternoon and Evening Groups of United Church W.A. entertained at the home of Mrs. Tom Morris on Wednesday evening, August 20th. Twenty-seven ladies were present and appropriate games and a flower contest were enjoyed by all. Mrs. Ed Kercher won the prize for the contest.

Corsages were presented to Miss Dimmock and Mrs. H. Bowman by Miss Ernest Clarke. A green Kenwood blanket was presented to Miss Dimmock by Mrs. Eckel, with the best wishes of all, and a warm welcome to Alberta was extended to her.

Miss Dimmock very graciously thanked the ladies for their kindness and gift.

Mrs. Norman Clarke presided at the tea table and a dainty lunch was served by Mrs. Parker, Mrs. Eckel, Mrs. H. Wood, Mrs. George Parsons, Mrs. R. McArthur, Mrs. E. Clarke and Mrs. E. Clarke.



THE LACY TRIO

Famous colored singers of Pasadena, California, who will give a sacred concert in the Evangelical United Brethren Church, Didsbury, on Saturday evening, September 3, at 8 o'clock. The Lacy Trio is internationally known, having travelled with the Cleveland Chorus Quintette for 27 years during which time they made three trips to Europe.

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SOW HAS 29 "PIGLETS"

Pigs are pigs, but in quantity they are "piglets." At least that is the opinion of Slim Goodwin who reported Monday that one of his purebred sows gave birth to a litter of 29 little pigs on Friday, August 26th. While Slim said he was not able to save the entire litter, and the mortality was great, the sow still will have plenty to do to raise her family to the weaner stage.

Teaching Staff Announced For Olds School Division

The teaching staff for the Olds School Division No. 31 has been announced by the secretary-treasurer, S.J. Gilson, and nearly all the rural schools not served by van will have teachers this year.

Below is the list of schools, their teachers and the teacher's address:

Bancroft: Thelma Vetter, R12, Didsbury.
Banner: Charles E. Allen, Carstairs.
Bearberry: Mrs. Lucy M. Tasher, Bearberry.
Bennett: Mrs. Mary Campbell, Olds.
Bergen: Richard Harder, Bergen.
Berrydale: Mrs. Annie K. Echlin, Olds.
Betchon: James Hagelorden, Olds.
Big Prairie: Gordon Gilson, Big Prairie.
Bituma: J. G. Seales, Water Valley.

Boston: Van.
Buckley: June Warkentin, R11, Three Hills.
Burnside: Mildred Swanson, R12, Didsbury.
Byron: Van.

Carstairs: Erb Dellow, Carstairs; James Chalmers, Carstairs; Jean Bontress, Carstairs; Mrs. Elmer Moss, Carstairs; Hazel Glidden, Carstairs; Rufus Schellenberg, Carstairs; Walter Bowley, Carstairs.
Clover Mount: Mrs. Mary Leclaire, Didsbury.
Coburn: Mrs. Irene P. Brown, Olds.
Collingwood: Annie B. Dann, R12, Trochu.

Cremora: Robert L. Reid, Cremora; Stanley Johnson, Cremora; Louis J. Luckacs, Cremora; Mrs. Hilda M. Frizell, Cremora; Mrs. Marion Fraser, Cremora.
Crown: Mrs. Ruth Webster, Alingham.

Cutler: Winnifred Weatherup, R11, Trochu.
Davenport: Mrs. Blake, Didsbury.
Davis: Mrs. Lucille Toegstad, Crossfield.

Didsbury: E.T. Wiggins, Didsbury; Wayne Stauffer, Didsbury; Herbert Stiles, Didsbury; Mrs. Audrey Evans, Didsbury; Clara Wilson, Didsbury; Evelyn Willison, Didsbury; Mrs. Thring, Didsbury; Mrs. Kay Riddell, Didsbury; Alice Francis, Didsbury; Allison Earle, Didsbury; Ralph Hoover, Didsbury; Mrs. K. Faith Welsh, Didsbury; Ivy Serge, Didsbury.
Dog Pound: Mrs. Marjorie L. Bagnall, Dog Pound.
Eagle Hill No. 1: Mrs. Rebecca

Truhy.
Eagle Hill No. 2: Louella Swan-coat, Eagle Hill.
Eagle Valley: Mrs. Alma Dibble, Mound.
Elkswold: Van.
Elkton: Mrs. Helen Erickson, Elkton.
Elmwood: Van.
Emmerdale: Mrs. Farris S. Miller, R11, Bowden.
Fallen Timber: Mrs. Leda Cooper, Elkton.
Frontier: Mr. Stanley Maertz, Wimbome; Dagne Lindstedt, Wimbome; Miss Edith Nielsen, Wimbome.
Gore: Mrs. Annie E. Booker, Didsbury.
Graham: Mrs. Charles McKeon, Big Prairie.
Garfield: Van.
Garnet: Leslie Collio, Olds.
Grand Centre: Van.
Green Acres: Louise Epp, R11, Carstairs.

Greenwood: Van.
Hainstock Sr.: W.V. Pauls, Olds.
Hainstock Jr.: Mrs. Helen I. MacPherson, Olds.
Harmosa: Van.
Harmattan Jr.: Mrs. Pamela Anderson, Harmattan.
Hawkeye: Van.
Huntville: Mrs. Emma B. Shells, Olds.

Innis Lake: Van.
Inverness: Mr. Joseph Neufeld, Didsbury.
Jackson: Mrs. Arrena Owens, Carstairs.
Jarlund: Mr. Juko Harder, R12, Didsbury.

Knee Hill: Van.
Lahby: Mrs. Grace M. Peterson, Sundre.

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Shower Honors August Bride

Mrs. Beano Parlor entertained at a bridal shower at her home on Friday afternoon, August 26, complimenting Miss Barbara Dimmock of Bristol, England, whose marriage to Mr. Ross Bowman took place on Monday, August 29.

During the afternoon contests were played and a prettily decorated dolls' carriage, piled high with gifts from the 25 guests, was wheeled in by little Bernice Clarke, who was daintily gown in pink, and presented to the guest of honor.

Mrs. H. Bowman and Miss Gwen Clarke assisted in opening the gifts, and Miss Dimmock very graciously thanked her friends.

A bouquet of bright garden flowers, flanked by tall pink candles decorated the tea table at which Mrs. C. Roach presided.

Assisting the hostess in serving were Mrs. R. Clarke and the Misses Gwen and Bonnie Clarke.

Funeral services for Mrs. Martha Liesemer, who passed away Tuesday morning, were conducted at press time late Tuesday afternoon.

Kenneth Hardbatt Dies of Injuries

The death of Kenneth Hardbatt, 18, occurred in the Calgary General Hospital on Monday, August 22 following a car accident on the Banff highway early Sunday morning, August 21st.

Kenneth was the youngest son of G. D. Hardbatt of Cloverdale, B.C., formerly of Didsbury, where the family farmed north-east of town for many years. His mother predeceased him at Didsbury in 1942.

Surviving are his father; six brothers, Norman and Gordon of Vancouver, Owen in Hull, England, Henry in Chittenden, and John and I. S. in Cloverdale. Also two sisters, Janet of Victoria, and Ruth of Calgary.

Funeral services were held from Jacques Funeral Home in Calgary at 1 p.m. on Thursday, August 25.

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SUMMER WEDDINGS

WALDROFF—BROADHURST

A lovely lawn wedding was solemnized Monday, August 15, at 3:00 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Reinhardt against a background of sweet peas, when Elizabeth Broadhurst and Edward Watson Waldroff, both of Didsbury, were united in marriage with Rev. J.W. Bainbridge officiating.

The bride, given in marriage by her younger brother, Douglas, took her place before an archway decorated with bells and streamers. The bride, attired in a white Jersey afternoon dress with white accessories, carried a bouquet of American Beauty roses. She was wearing a pendant and matching earrings, a gift of the groom.

Winnifred Broadhurst, youngest sister of the bride, wearing a rose Jersey afternoon dress and carrying a bouquet of Talisman roses, attended the bride.

The groom was supported by his brother, Kenneth Waldroff of Red Deer.

To the strains of "O Promise Me" the register was signed.

Following the wedding a delicious lunch was served to the twenty-five guests seated at tables on the lawn. The bride's table was centred by a three-tiered wedding cake made by herself.

The toast to the bride, given by Rev. Bainbridge, was responded to by the groom.

Guests from a distance were a cousin of the bride, Jim Young of Northumberland, England, his friend, Norman Thompson also of England, Mr. and Mrs. J.K. Waldroff of Red Deer and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mewha of Markerville.

A wire of congratulation was received from Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Sibbey of Marshall, Saskatchewan. The happy couple after a honeymoon spent at Banff and Jasper returned Saturday to reside on the groom's farm west of Didsbury.

BODE—KRUGER

A very pretty wedding was solemnized at Redeemer Lutheran Church Didsbury, on July 9, when Iva Virginia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E.L. Kruger of Olds, became the bride of Mr. Arnold Clarence Bode, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Bode of Didsbury.

For the occasion the church was decorated with pink carnations on the altar and the altar steps were banked with peonies and fern. Rev. E.B. Fox performed the wedding ceremony.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was gownned in white bridal satin with sweetheart neckline lace insert and low waist line scalloped in front, together with train on dress and veil. She wore pearls, the gift of the groom, and carried a shower bouquet of yellow roses.

Miss Lois Kruger, sister of the bride, was maid of honor and wore green net over taffeta, net hat and gloves, and a cameo locket. She carried a bouquet of pink carnations and pink sweetpeas.

Miss Shirley Kruger, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid and was dressed in mauve net over taffeta, mauve net hat and gloves, and wore a cameo locket, the gift of the bride. Her bouquet was of cosmos carnations and sweetpeas.

Diana Mueller was flower girl and wore yellow net over taffeta with coronet of yellow sweetheart roses, and carried a basket of yellow and pink sweetheart roses and sweetpeas.

The groom was supported by Mr. Howard Krebs and Mr. Jay Tuggle. The ushers were Mr. Lloyd Kruger, brother of the bride, and Mr. Raymond Shantz.

Mrs. Bush of Olds played the wedding music. For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Kruger wore a navy two-piece crepe gown trimmed with white collar, navy hat, and white accessories. Her corsage was of red roses.

The bridegroom's mother wore a navy flowered dress, navy hat, and her corsage was red roses.

For the reception the room was decorated with green, mauve and yellow streamers, with bells over the bride's table, and bouquets and sweetpeas. The toast to the bride was proposed by Rev. E.B. Fox and responded to by the groom.

Following the reception Mr. and Mrs. Bode left on a honeymoon trip to Waterton Lakes and points in the U.S.A. For travelling the bride wore a gold suit, white shortie coat and white accessories.

On their return Mr. and Mrs. Bode will reside on the farm west of Didsbury.

Noah's ark was built of gopher wood.

Halie Selassie claimed descent from Solomon and the Queen of Sheba.

PAULS—NEUFELD

The New Berthel Church was the scene of a pretty wedding recently, when Eunice Hope, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.U. Neufeld of Didsbury, became the bride of Mr. Billy Pauls, only son of Rev. and Mrs. Pauls, also of Didsbury.

Rev. E.G. Neufeld performed the marriage ceremony which took place amid decorations of baskets of gladioli, sweet peas and other summer flowers.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, entered the church to the strains of Lohengrin Wedding March. She looked very beautiful in a gown of Ivory satin and lace, an embezzled net veil which was held in place by a crown of pearls. She carried a cascade of red roses. Her only ornament was the groom's gift of a double strand of pearls with earrings to match.

Attending the bride was her cousin Miss Jeanette Neufeld, who wore a white organdy over powder blue gown with blue headress and shoulder veil. She carried a bouquet of pale yellow gladioli.

The groom's attendant was Mr. Jake Harder of Didsbury.

Mr. Lawrence and Raymond Neufeld ushered the guests. For the occasion the bride's mother wore a grey gabardine suit, and the groom's mother wore a dress of black lace and crepe. Both had corsages of pink sweet peas. Miss Helen Swain played the wedding music and was dressed in a gown of pink taffeta with a corsage of red roses.

During the signing of the register, Mr. Ernest Neufeld sang the Wedding prayer.

Following the ceremony lunch was served to a host of friends and relatives. Serving were Misses Ina and Verda Hiebert, Myrtle and Joyce Loewen, Olga and Hilda Peterson, Katha and Sarah Penner, Esther Shellenberg, Lois Neufeld and Katie Hildebrand.

Mr. Raymond Neufeld proposed the toast to the bride, to which the groom very ably responded.

The happy couple left by car for an extended trip through the mountains to Yellowstone Park and other places of interest.

For travelling they chose twin suits of tan gabardine shortie and corsage of red roses.

On their return they will make their home west of Olds in a teaching, where Mr. Pauls will again take up his duties of school teacher.

MAYERSON—FOAT

The wedding of Miss Evelyn Foat, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L.C. Foat of Carstairs, and John Andrew Mayerson, oldest son of Mrs. Mary Klejko of Didsbury, took place at Vancouver, Washington, on August 3rd. The happy couple spent their honeymoon touring Washington and Oregon before returning to Red Deer where they are now residing.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH

Rev. A. J. Grams, Pastor

Sunday Services: 10:30 a.m., Worship service. 11:30 a.m., Sunday school.

7:30 p.m., evening service every Sunday with the Youth Fellowship in charge at every other Sunday evening service.

Wednesday evening, 8:00 p.m. — Bible study and prayer meeting. Thursday evening, 8 p.m. — Choir practice.

Alternate Sundays at Bethel and Jutland: 2:00 p.m., Sunday school followed by worship service.

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ALBERTA IS PROSPEROUS

Recent figures released by the Provincial Treasurer show that for the first three months of the 1949-50 fiscal year the Alberta Government has taken in revenue of \$24,662,876, and although expenditures were heavy there was an over-all surplus in this three-month period of \$5,230,042. Should revenue continue on this scale for the balance of the fiscal year the Alberta Government will take in more than \$100,000,000, and there is every reason to believe that this sum will come in to the provincial treasury by the end of March, 1950, leaving an over-all surplus of more than \$20,000,000.

When it is considered that the total revenue of the Province in the fiscal year ending March 31, 1935, was only \$15,697,770, the average resident of the Province is beginning to wonder just where the money is coming from, since no new taxes have been levied. But the answer is simply "oil" and revenue from the sale of oil leases, and from all indications this prosperous condition will continue as new oil fields are opened up. True, increased liquor and motor vehicle taxes have been partly responsible for the high revenue of the provincial treasury department, but these are almost insignificant compared with oil profits.

Alberta is on the threshold of even greater prosperity as the search for oil is intensified, and the time may come when the provincial debt will be wiped out and still leave sufficient revenue to carry on the demands of the people for better roads, greatly increased school grants and special grants to rural and urban municipalities for community benefits. This is all a possibility of the future, but with the Province owning most of the oil leases, and taking its annual toll of 12 1/2 per cent of all oil produced, there is every indication that the revenue of the Alberta Government will eventually be so great that funds will be available for these desired improvements, which now are mainly responsible for the high taxation in every community in Alberta.

Letter To The Editor

"VIRUS POLLUTOSIS"

The ditchdigger went over and under the C.P.R. tracks. Soon it will be in the center of town and make a mess of all the roads. In a year from now the town of Didsbury will be safe from that dreadful bacillus, "Virus Pollutosis". Well, that word is Latin and I made it myself. It sounds darn good to me. If my Pop was still alive he surely would say, "Boy, I did not waste any money on your education if you can coin Latin words like that, even if you were not so hot in your exams."

Well, "Virus Pollutosis" sounds better than some of the prescriptions I took into George's drug store!

In the meantime the gallant men of the track and south of the town in the shanty area will keep up a noble fight to save themselves and their families' health with "Gillette's Lye." It is 15 cents a tin now; you merchants better put it down to two for a quarter and you will be doing a charitable job here if you do it. And your conscience will be clear, having the feeling that you have helped in saving humanity from extinction through the killing of the dreadful "Virus Pollutosis." I surely like that word. How about it, Howard? Are you taking the lead in the price drop?

"VIRUS POLLUTOSIS"
Honni Soit Qui Mal y Pense
about this.

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BRITAINS BIRTHRATE INCREASES

During the twelve months ended March 31, 1948, Britain had the highest birthrate for 27 years. This is revealed by the Ministry of Health's report for that period which has just been published by His Majesty's Stationery Office. The birthrate rose to 20.5 per 1,000 of the population while the infant mortality fell to the lowest ever known. There were only 41 deaths for every 1,000 live births and the stillbirths rate also showed a substantial drop.

Big Game Bag Limits Reduced

Drastic reductions in the bag limits and open season for big game in Alberta were announced Saturday by the game branch of the provincial department of lands and forests.

This year a resident or non-resident may obtain only three animals. This bag may include one male sheep or one goat, male or female; one deer, moose, or elk, male only; and one only of either grizzly, brown or cinnamon bear.

Open season for sheep or goat is for one month, from Sept. 15 to Oct. 15 inclusive; for deer, moose and elk, the season is from Nov. 1 to 30th; for grizzly, brown, black or cinnamon bear, it is from Sept. 15 to Nov. 30 and from April 1 to June 3.

This year, game may be taken in any part of the province with the exception of game reserves and national parks.

The section applying to male deer, moose or elk, during the period Sept. 15 to Oct. 15 has been restricted to one area—within the Athabasca forest west of the South Sulphur River, the Main Sulphur River and the Smoky River.

The antelope season will be the same as in 1948, running from Oct. 21 to Nov. 5 inclusive. Antelope may be taken in townships one to seven, ranges one to ten, west of the fourth meridian, outside the Cypress Hills forest. The limit is one animal, male or female.

Seasons on upland birds have been extended and the province has been divided into two zones to allow shooting from one-half hour before sunrise to one-half hour after sunset. For cock pheasants, the daily starting time is 10 a.m.

One of the two zones is that part of the province lying north of the North Saskatchewan River and Highway 16. Sharp-tailed grouse, ruffed grouse and spruce partridge and Hungarian partridge may be taken from Oct. 5 to Nov. 12.

The second zone is south of the North Saskatchewan River and Highway 16, where sharp-tailed grouse, ruffed grouse, spruce partridge and Hungarian partridge may be taken from Oct. 5 to Oct. 29.

Ring-neck pheasants may be taken north of the Saskatchewan River and Highway 16 from Oct. 5 to Oct. 29 and south of the North Saskatchewan River and Highway 16 Oct. 5 to Oct. 29, shooting to commence not earlier than 10 a.m.

Blue grouse may be taken west of Willow Creek and Highway No. 2 from Macleod to Carway, Sept. 10 to Oct. 4.

Bag limits on upland game birds north of the river and Highway 16 are as follows: sharp-tailed grouse, 10 per day, and 25 for the season; ruffed grouse, 5 per day and 25 for the season; spruce partridge, 5 per day and 25 for the season; ring-neck cock pheasant, 3 per day and 15 for the season.

Bag limits on upland birds south of the river and Highway 26 are as follows: sharp-tailed grouse, 3 and 12; ruffed grouse, 3 and 12; spruce partridge, 3 and 12; Hungarian partridge, 3 and 12; ring-neck cock pheasant, 3 and 15; blue grouse, 3 and 12.

Fourth Issue Of Canada Savings Bonds

A Fourth Series of Canada Savings Bonds will go on sale in Canada in October. This was announced at Ottawa by the Hon. Douglas Abbott, Minister of Finance, who, at the same time, gave notice that Canada Savings Bonds, Series Three will be withdrawn from sale on Aug. 31. The Minister said that the decision to issue a fourth series of these bonds was prompted by the enthusiastic response that had attended the previous three offerings.

Since 1946, when the First Series of these bonds was issued, Canadians have made more than three million purchases of Canada Savings Bonds, to a total value of more than \$1 billion. Last year the purchases on the Payroll Savings Plan by employees of thousands of Canadian companies, reached a new high of \$118 million. More than 43 per cent of all employees to whom the payroll plan was made available bought bonds.

Although terms of the new issue have not yet been announced, it is expected that the Fourth Series will retain the features which proved so popular in the first three. As in the past, the bonds will be available through banks and investment dealers as well as on the Paid Savings Plan.

Preparations for the Fourth Series are well advanced.

SPEND ROAD DOLLARS MORE WISELY

A recent survey of new highway construction showed that most of the western provinces were concentrating on improving connections with the United States. This, says the Financial Post, is a sound move as it will build up most profitable "export," namely the tourist trade.

The central provinces and particularly Ontario might profit by this western example. Tremendous sums have been spent on highways in the last two decades but for some strange reason few of our best roads ever seem to reach the border. The first experience of

many American tourists, itching to spend their dollar in Canada, is a long drive over twisty, bumpy roads.

The main artery leading from the Detroit area, for instance is reported in a deplorable condition most of the 200 miles from Windsor to Hamilton. Yet it is over these roads that perhaps 25 per cent of all Americans coming into Canada must travel. All that is required is resurfacing.

Because of our vast size in comparison to population it will be many years before Canada can hope to have fine highways everywhere. But this is all the more reason why we should be more careful now to spend our road dollars to the very best advantage.

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DISTRICT NEWS

BERGEN NEWS NOTES

Mrs. John Suder has been holding special meetings at the United Missionary Church. While here she spoke to the members of the Missionary Society at Bergen and Sundre.

Miss Gwen Bowering of Vancouver conducted a Vacation Bible School at the Pentecostal Holiness Church last week. Miss Bowering preached at the Sunday evening service as Rev. and Mrs. Smaller and the twins are away on holiday.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Erickson, who are proud parents of a baby daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. J.J. Davidson have sold the Bergen store. The new owners are from Castor and will move here soon with their families. We extend our most sincere sympathy to the Ball family on the passing of Mrs. Ball's father, Mr. Brooks. He passed away suddenly last week at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Brooks predeceased him last fall.

Mrs. Bob Payne is spending a week with her sister, Mrs. T. Haug. Ira Gamble Jr. and Marie Zeliger visited at Bergen on Sunday.

Harvesting in the district is in full swing. The straw is reported to be short but the grain well-filled.

Wild fruit is non-existent this year. The combination of frost and drought was too much for them to take, so we won't be baking any blueberry pie this year.

NOTES FROM EAST

The Lone Pine young people took in the dance at the East Community hall last Friday and all reported having a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hunter and family and Robert and Joy Elliott spent the week end at Banff.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Clipperley and their two cousins from the States made the trip to Banff, Jasper and Edmonton and report a very good time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Gebers and Mr. and Mrs. Pross and Lola spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Walter McCulloch.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Welsh, Mr. Harold Hobbs and Mrs. Lucy Thompson of Calgary visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Alfie Thompson and family.

Harry Morasch had Sunday dinner with the Schumaker boys.

It is good to see Walter McCulloch up and around again. He went to Calgary Monday to have the stitches removed following a recent throat operation.

Leslie Schumaker accompanied the Walter McCullochs to Calgary on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson McLean, Ellwood Topley, Mr. and Mrs. Alfie Thompson and Beverly, and Mr. George Long spent Sunday evening with the Schumakers.

Annie McCulloch spent a few days last week with Beverly Thompson.

WESTCOTT ITEMS

The municipal road crew has moved into this area and is at present grading west of the Lutheran church.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Irwin and family of Calgary were supper guests at the Herb Goetjen home on Sunday evening last.

Mr. and Mrs. Linden Jacobsen and Duane, Mr. and Mrs. John Jacobsen, and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Folkman and family took in the Cremona stampede last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Kaun and family of Lethbridge spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Otto Folkman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd and family of Wetaskiwin moved into Mr. J. F. Mori's house at the corner near the store last weekend. We understand there are two boys to go to school at Westcott.

UNITED CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday services at the United Church will be held as follows:

Westcott—11 a.m. Morning Worship followed by Sunday School. Westdale—3 p.m. Public Worship followed by Sunday School organization meeting.

Didsbury—7:45 p.m. Evening Worship. The minister, Rev. J.W. Bainbridge, will conduct these services.

Tuesday, September 6, 7 p.m.—Men's Supper meeting in the schoolroom. All men are cordially invited to attend.

Drafts and notes differ in that the former is a written order to pay; the latter a written promise to pay.

MOUNTAIN VIEW

The deepest sympathy of the community goes to the Gebers family in the recent death of their son, Duane, who was well known and well liked in this district.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kohut and Mr. and Mrs. Barney Elliott and their families motored to Calgary on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E.V. Rogers and family were dinner guests Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. Bruce.

Mr. Glenn Warren of Olds and Mrs. Fessenden of Salem, Oregon, visited last Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. Bruce, Miss Lillian Warren stayed on for a few days to visit before school starts.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Bittner, Mrs. Stiles and Mrs. Gebers motored to Calgary on Monday.

The dance at Mountain View hall on Friday, August 26, sponsored by the Mountain View W.L. was a decided success and the ladies made a profit of one hundred and five dollars.

Mrs. Boettger of Olds is visiting for a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. G. McCaig.

Mr. and Mrs. G. McCaig and family visited in Calgary on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Stimson of Manynberies visited for four days with the former's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bob McCulloch. Mr. and Mrs. Stimson have just been married and are on their honeymoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Swanson and family were Sunday dinner guests of the Worrall and L. Hunter families.

Margaret, Leona and Hilda Neufeld visited with Mrs. John Bruce last Tuesday evening.

Mr. Allen, former teacher at the Grand Centre school, will be the new teacher at Neapolis school this term. He will board and room at John Kohuts.

FALLEN TIMBER

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Monecy, George, Margaret and Anita accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Harold Russell on a three-day trip to Banff, and report having had a wonderful time.

Mrs. Francis Webb is visiting at Chilliwaack and other B.C. points. Little Joyce is staying with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hayes.

Miss Betty Johnson of Saskatchewan has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. Wannamaker.

Mr. and Mrs. J.H. Cooper took Mrs. R. Cooper Sr. back to her home at Foremost. Mrs. George Admusen and baby Elaine accompanied them on the trip.

Mrs. Robert Moore and sons, George and Monty of Calgary, spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Howton.

Mrs. Wayne Roberts and children were Didsbury visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Alex Moore of Bergen and Mr. and Mrs. Bob McGiffin and family and Mr. W.H. McGiffin of Didsbury have just returned from a two weeks' trip through the States to Minnesota, where Mr. W. H. McGiffin visited with sisters whom he had not seen for some fifty years.

The regular church service was held August 28, with a grand turnout. The next service will be held September 11 under the direction of Rev. C. and Rev. R. Moore. Everybody welcome.

THRESHING MALTING BARLEY

(By H.G.L. Strange)

Excellent crops of malting barley are often spoiled because the grain contains broken and skinned kernels. This is usually the result of improper adjustment of cylinders and concaves with threshing machines or combines.

To make good malt, barley must germinate quite evenly on the malting floor. Grain that contains broken and skinned kernels germinates unevenly, and so is unfit for malting. Such grain, then, has to be degraded to feed grades.

To avoid broken and skinned kernels the cylinder on the threshing machine or combine should be run at the lowest possible speed that will thresh the grain out of the heads, and in addition concaves should be as widely separated as possible so they will just do the job of threshing. Maltsters would much rather have undamaged barley, even with a little head left on the kernels or a few pieces of heads in the grain, than barley which is skinned or broken. To thresh barley fit for malting grades, then, requires the greatest of care, the most careful observation and frequent checking on the part of the operator of the grain coming out of the machine spout.

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MAZOLA SALAD OIL, pint tin	49c
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE, 20 oz. tin	2 for 35c
TOMATO JUICE, Stockley's, 48 oz. tin, 2 for	69c
SERVETTES, Silver Swan	2 pkgs. 35c
JELLO & JELLO PUDDINGS	6 pkts. 55c
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CORNED BEEF, Fray Bentos	2 tins 99c
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LITTLE ITEMS OF
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Rev. Leslie Quantz and family listed in Didsbury last week.

Born at Calgary on August 29 to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Good (nee Ruby Kercher) a daughter.

After spending a two weeks holiday with relatives, Mr. and Mrs. Eld Morasch and boys returned to Calgary on Saturday.

After spending several months of their furlough at Didsbury, Rev. and Mrs. O.L. Traub and three sons and Mrs. Traub's sister, Miss V. Traub, are leaving this week for Union, South Dakota, where they will spend the remaining part of their furlough with Mrs. Traub's parents.

Mr. O.W. Stauffer is enjoying his new home since coming from the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. R.G. Stevens returned Saturday from a motor trip to Glacier Park and points in British Columbia.

George Morasch went to Calgary Saturday to see his father, who is a patient in the Col. Belcher hospital. On Sunday Mrs. Adam Morasch, Lily and Alfred, and Miss Betty Fulkert were also in Calgary to see Mr. Adam Morasch.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hunter and family of Red Deer were Monday visitors at the A. Morasch home.

Rev. Arthur Weinert, Mrs. Weinert and daughter Marilyn of Manchester, Michigan, visited for a few days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J.V. Berscht and other relatives.

Miss Dona Morehouse, who has been visiting with her grandmother, Mrs. O.W. Stauffer, has returned to Stettin where she supervises the children's recreational park.

Recent supper guests with Mr. and Mrs. Adam Korschuh were Mr. and Mrs. Vic Korschuh, Shirley and Vicki, and Ivan Belmont, who were returning to their home at Seely Beach after visiting at Williams Lake, B.C., for two weeks. While motoring back they were held up for a time by the recent slide at Field, B.C.

Miss Mildred M. Traub, member of the teaching staff of Cascade College, Portland, Oregon, is spending part of her vacation at her home in Didsbury, the first part having been utilized in taking further studies at the State University in Seattle. During the past week Mildred accompanied her brother, Rev. O.L. Traub, of Iggett, West Africa, who is home on furlough, on a missionary deputation tour via Trochu, Big Valley, Galahad and Castor.

Mr. Alan Richardson, son of Mrs. O.W. Stauffer and sanitation inspector, has been awarded a scholarship at Harvard University, and a refresher course at Ottawa.

—Mr. C. F. Donner, R.M.T., will open his pianoforte classes on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, September 8, 9 and 10. New pupils by appointment. Old pupils will please keep the times they had before the holidays, unless other arrangements have been made. 35 2c

Several local merchants are sponsoring a series of daily Didsbury Safety Programs over CFAC, Calgary, from 2 to 2.30.

Mrs. Alma Good visited with Simon Good near Carstairs last week and returned home Sunday.

For the past few weeks Mr. A. Traub has been assisting his son, E.M. Traub of Trochu, in the erection of a new house which is now ready for plaster. Mr. A. Traub has now gone to Edmonton to help in the construction of a place of worship for the United Missionary Church.

Andy Metzger has returned to Didsbury after spending the past four months in New Westminster, B.C., and is again on the job sharpening saws for Hughie Roberts.

Mrs. Richardson has returned to Vancouver after visiting with her sister, Mrs. O.W. Stauffer.

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